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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For governor—Col. Morris B. Bell,
Mayor of Louisville.

For lieutenant governor—J. B. Wil-
son of Boyd county.

For treasurer—John A. Black of
Barbourville.

For auditor—George W. Welsh of
Danville.

For attorney general—Judge W. M.
Beckner of Winchester.

For secretary of state—J. C. Speight
of Graves county.

For superintendent of schools—Liv-
ingston McCartney of Henderson.

For commissioners of agriculture—
George Baker of Muhlenberg county.

For clerk of court of appeals—J.
A. Newman of Monroe county.

COUNTY.

For representative—Earl M. Hazen,
Paducah.

DAILY THOUGHT.

Ideas are the wellsprings of all the
joy and sorrow of our mortal life.
—Augusta Evans

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday except rain
in southern portion.

THE STATE MILITIA.

Major Buck's report to the govern-
ment on the Kentucky militia is fully
indorsed by many of the state's most
efficient officers, and should, if it does
not, have a salutary effect on the fu-
ture regulation and management of
the militia. Major J. H. Mansie, com-
mander of the Louisville battalion of
artillery, says:

"The chief ailment that affects the
state guard of Kentucky is and always
has been too much politics. As long
as officers are chosen for political
reasons, and as long as politics run the
state guard, Major Buck's criticisms
will be well founded. The guard is
in poor shape. The adjutant general's
office is nothing but a political snap
and worth nothing to the guard. We
never have any courtmartial and can-
not make examples of the men because
the state objects to the expense. When
a soldier needs courtmartialing
all we can do is discharge him. This
way the warning and example to the
rest of the troops cannot be given.
Is it any wonder that the discipline is
poor? We need training. Some of
the officers have worked hard to make
the boys worth something as soldiers,
but under the present system all our
work goes for little and it takes twice
as much time and effort to make even
a poor lot of guards as it would to
make the best lot of men in the coun-
try if things were run right."

It will doubtless prove very discour-
aging to those natives of dear old Ken-
tucky who have by years of faithful
practice acquired the ability to work
up a good case of "jimmies" in record-
breaking time, to learn that some two-
by-four scientist has now discovered a
process by which they can be cured in
a few seconds. After awhile the
"cure" will be compelled to hide
himself somewhere in the woods to
enjoy even a common, every-day jag.

It is hoped that Captain Ewen, of
Blenheim county, will not make a fool
of himself as some of our other
spectacular heroes have. Simply be-
cause he has done something and won
the applause and admiration of the
people is no sign he should now begin
doing all sorts of silly things to keep

before the public, as Lieutenant Rich-
mond Pearson Hobson did a few years
ago. Captain Ewen is doubtless a
brave and deserving man, but he
should stop such foolishness as mak-
ing his will and predicting his death,
riding stowed away in chests and bar-
rels, and having nightmares in camp.

Poor old Yeiser park! Nobody
wants it. It has apparently been
abandoned even as a pasture, and the
streets and vacant lots are used in-
stead.

This is a pretty good country, and
comparatively few of the hordes of
emigrants who annually seek homes
here are compelled to apply for relief.
The official report furnished the im-
migration authorities shows that out of
a total of 401,057 aliens admitted last
year only 580 had during the year ap-
plied for relief. This speaks well for
the country, apparently, and for the
tariff and industry of those who come
to our shores.

The dispatches state that every
member of the "allied unions" in the
employ of the government printing
office at Washington will quit work if
Miller, the man President Roosevelt
ordered reinstated because he was dis-
missed for not belonging to the union,
is put back to work. It will be inter-
esting to see how President Roosevelt
and Uncle Sam will come out in a
mix-up with the unions.

Auditor Gus Coulter, of Frankfort,
passed through Memphis yesterday
and seems to have had a good supply
of hot air or something equally as
effective on tap. He touched himself
off in front of a reporter and told
what the Democrats in Kentucky are
going to do to the Republicans this
November, and a lot of other stuff that
wasn't so. He also made it appear
that he was an ardent Beckham man,
while as a matter of fact he got mad
long before the primary because he
couldn't get the promise to run things
to suit himself and turned against the
very machine of grafters and politi-
cians that put him in office, and fought
Beckham and the machine from one
end of the state to the other, and then
got licked. The next time Auditor
Coulter stops in Memphis on his way
to the hunt he should sample some
other brand before he is interviewed.

One thing difficult for a person of
ordinary intelligence to understand is
why any Kentucky editor wants to
resent the criticisms of conditions in
Breathitt county by calling attention
to the crimes committed in other
states, counties and cities. A more
foolish argument could not be ad-
vanced. It is not the number of
crimes that outside papers censure
Kentucky for, nor the cowardliness or
cruelty of them, but the fact that
there should be any section of a civil-
ized land where such crimes go un-
punished year after year because they
are instigated and connived at by the
regularly elected authorities, and seem
to be a diversion with the people
themselves of the community. Many
times more crimes are committed in
other places, no doubt, but the officers
of the law there do not investigate them
or permit them to be soon forgotten
without any effort to arrest or punish
the guilty, as they do in some parts
of Kentucky.

FUNERALS TODAY.

TWO HELD IN THE FORENOON,
BOTH AT OAK GROVE.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Beatty
took place this morning at 9:30 o'clock
from the residence of her son, Capt. J.
F. Beatty, on West Broadway. Rev.
W. E. Cave conducted the service.
The remains were taken to Ironton,
O., for burial.

The burial of the late Morris Maxon
of Maxon's Mill took place at Oak
Grove this morning at 10:30 o'clock.
Services were conducted at the grave
by Rev. John W. Sykes of Grace Epis-
copal church.

WANTS A DIVORCE

MRS. IDA BARRETT ASKS FOR
A LEGAL SEPARATION.

Mrs. Ida Barrett has filed a suit in
circuit court against her husband,
Charles B. Barrett, whom she claims
has mistreated her and become a
drunkard. She asks for a divorce and
restoration to her maiden name, Ida
Pain, and also asks an order enjoining
him from molesting her.

WITTMAN'S
ELIXIR OF LIFE
FOR SALE AT
DUBOIS, KOLB & CO

THE BALLARD WILL

It Was Filed for Probate in the
County Court Today.

Estate Divided Among Children—Oth-
er County Court Notés.

The will of the late Mrs. Sarah E.
Ballard was this morning filed for prob-
ate. She leaves all her real estate to
her daughter Alice Belle Mitchell and
in case of the latter's death the prop-
erty goes to the children of Mrs. Mitch-
ell. All notes, money and personal
property she leaves to Mrs. Elvira
Merrigold and in addition \$5 in mone-
y. Mrs. Merrigold is appointed ex-
ecutrix of the estate.

J. W. Skelton, age 39, of the coun-
ty, and Nona Wyatt, of Ballard coun-
ty, have been licensed to wed. It will
make the first marriage of both.

Elvira Merrigold was this morning
appointed guardian of Jessie, Margue-
rita, Minnie Belle, Viola Merrigold.

J. E. Potter, W. R. Holland and
William M. Hesselton have been ap-
pointed commissioners to settle the
value of the estate of W. T. Rudd for
distribution.

TROUBLE AHEAD.

CITY DECLINES TO PAY BILL
AND WANTS TO CRAWFISH.

The city seems determined to repud-
iate every debt possible through her
legal representatives. Last night a
meeting was held by the park com-
mittee of the general council and Justices
Young and Sears and County Attor-
ney Graves, at the city hall, to take
some action relative to Yeiser park.
The justices stated that they had been
instructed to present a bill of \$190
against the city for repairs made to
the park fence.

The city's representatives took the
position that the city did not desire to
keep up Yeiser park according to its
agreement and lease, and would not
pay the bill and wanted to turn the
park back to the county there and
then, but were informed that the city
had agreed to keep up the park for a
term of years and the members of fi-
scal court present were authorized only
to present the bill, and institute suit
in case it was refused. They were
then invited to sue and it is understood
that tonight a resolution will be intro-
duced in the board of aldermen to can-
cel the lease on part of the city.

RURAL CARRIER

ONE APPOINTED FOR NEW
ROUTE IN COUNTY.

Edmund L. Francis has been ap-
pointed rural delivery carrier in the
county for the new route out the Ben-
ton road, with John W. Francis sub-
stitute. The appointment is effective
September 1.

Postmaster F. M. Fisher today re-
ceived official notice of the authoriza-
tion of rural route No. 4, recently al-
lowed by the postoffice department at
Washington. It will be in operation
by September 1.

The route extends out the Clark's
river road and includes school house
No. 4, Epperson, Brooks and Jones'
Corner. It will cover sixteen square
miles and will serve 522 families.

PAID \$100.

AND LIBEL AGAINST THE CITY
OF ST. LOUIS WAS DISMISSED.

The libel claim brought against the
steamer City of St. Louis by a fisher-
men named Van Bussom, of Union-
town, Ky., yesterday, was settled yes-
terday afternoon and the boat has gone
down the Ohio. The claim was set-
tled by the boat's owners paying \$100
and costs. The claim was for slightly
over \$100 but the compromise was sat-
isfactory to both sides.

ALDERMEN MEET.

REGULAR ROUTINE BUSINESS
TO BE TRANSACTED.

The board of aldermen will meet in
regular session tonight and much
business will come up for action. The
street matter and several other matters
of importance will be considered and
the meeting will be no doubt interest-
ing. All business transacted by the
council Monday night will have to go
into this board's hands, including all
ordinances to be given first and second
passage. No new business is reported
on the program.

WEEK OF THE 21ST

Selected by the Red Men for
Their Carnival.

Four Companies Wired to Send Repre-
sentatives to Paducah.

Officers of the Red Men's Amuse-
ment association last night held a
meeting at the Rhodes-Burford estab-
lishment and decided definitely on the
date for the Red Men's carnival. They
had previously concluded to hold it
either the week of September 21 or of
October 5 and last night selected
the former, from September 21 until
the 28, inclusive. This makes the
carnival less than two months off.

Today the headquarters of four car-
nival companies were wired to send
representatives to Paducah to confer
with the local committees relative to
furnishing the attractions, and they
are expected to be here shortly and
complete arrangements for the coming
festivities. There are four companies
which will be in a position to furnish
attractions by reason of being booked
in no other place for that week, and
they are all, it is understood, anxious
to come to Paducah.

From now on work for the carnival
will be pushed, as it requires a great
deal of time and energy to get ready
for one. It will be enclosed, and not
a street fair such as the Carnival as-
sociation held last May.

POLICE COURT.

ONLY A FEW CASES FINALLY
DISPOSED OF TODAY.

Today's police court docket this
morning contained the following:

Lena Windeford, colored, was dis-
missed, on motion of the prosecuting
attorney, on the charge of keeping a
disorderly house.

The immorality case against Lee
Crawford, colored, was left open.

Frank Tichnor, white, was fined \$1
and costs by confession, for drunken-
ness.

Earl French, colored, was held over
under a \$300 bond for striking Cala
Cary, colored, with a brick and at-
tempting to cut him also. Jerry Wall,
his partner, was partially tried and
his case left open.

Findley Climer and Cliff Lee, two
white boys charged with robbing Con-
ductor Fay of \$60 on Broadway last
night, were arraigned and the case
continued. There were three boys
mixed up in the robbery [and one got
away.

Will Cashion, white, was reprimand-
ed by Judge Sanders for breaking
window lights out in the Worten ad-
dition.

Albert McCord, charged with ma-
licious shooting at his wife was re-
leased on bond today.

Florence Patton was this afternoon
fined \$40 and costs for keeping a dis-
orderly house.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Swain Townsend is quite ill at
her home on South Third.

Mr. Morris Maxon is reported very
ill at his home in the county.

Mrs. J. E. Williamson is quite sick
at her home on North Sixth street.

Mr. Tobe Dulaney has returned from
St. Louis, where he was called by the
illness of his father, who is now bet-
ter.

Mrs. Ad Rasch, of Evansville, who
has been ill for several days past from
malaria at the home of her mother,
Mrs. Hoover, is improving.

Conductor Starr Milam is quite ill
from malaria, but expects to be well
enough in a few days to start with his
wife on a trip north.

Mr. Haskell Hughes, who went to
Indiana to take treatment for rheuma-
tism, will return in a few days, not
having been benefited.

Mrs. Ad Rasch, of Evansville, who
was taken ill here while visiting rela-
tives, is able to be up, her many
friends will be pleased to learn.

Ever Notice It?

"A man never gets credit for half he
does or says while on earth," growled
the chronic pessimist.

"True," replied the easy-going op-
timist, "but after he furnishes a job
for the undertaker he is credited with
three times as much as he ever did or
said."

Admiral Dewey's Pet Dog.
Admiral Dewey's pet dog, "Admiral
Dewey," has just landed in San Fran-
cisco from the Orient. Many pictures
of the admiral have been printed,
showing the little white dog standing
by his side. D. L. Smith, a business
man of Yokohama, now owns the dog.

LOCAL DELEGATES

To Attend Paducah District
Conference of M. E. Church.

Will Convene in Bandana Wednesday
for a Two Days' Session.

The following delegates have been
appointed from Paducah churches to
the district conference of the Paducah
district, Memphis conference, of the
Methodist Episcopal church South,
which will convene in Bandana, Bal-
lard county, Wednesday and Thurs-
day.

BROADWAY.

Rev. Thomas J. Newell, Pastor.
Rev. G. C. Crumbaugh, L. E.; Rev.
R. W. Chiles, L. D.

Delegates—B. H. Scott, H. W. Kat-
erjohn, John L. Webb, W. A. Martin,
Sam T. Hubbard, Ed H. Bringham, H.
W. Gleaves, F. M. McGlathery, J. W.
Little, J. W. Hubbard, A. W. Barkley,
Dr. W. R. Hayes, Dr. V. Blythe, J.
M. Byrd, C. Q. O. Leigh, T. J. At-
kins, W. L. Young, Claude Baker,
Melvin Byrd.

TRIMBLE STREET.

Rev. J. W. Irion, Pastor.
Delegates—C. W. Morrison, Silas
Mitchell, Jr., John B. Davis, John
Pearl, C. P. Houseman H. A. Ross.
Alternates—B. J. Billings and Dan
Willis.

THIRD STREET.

Rev. W. C. Sellars Pastor.
Rev. A. N. Sears Supernumate.
Rev. Dan C. Holman L. P.

Delegates—A. J. Bamberg, J. B.
Mills, R. L. Tyree, Arthur B. Sco-
field, George M. Alexander.
Alternates—Cornelius Edwards and
Robert Sears.

CITY MISSIONS.

Rev. T. J. Owen L. E. Pastor.
Delegate—J. E. Henley.

Alternate—J. B. Stean.

Rev. T. J. Newell will represent
the board of education.

Rev. W. C. Sellars will represent
the board of missions.

Rev. J. H. Roberts will represent
the board of church extension.

Rev. J. W. Irion will represent the
Epworth league.

Rev. E. S. Harris will represent the
joint board.

Rev. W. D. Pickens will represent
the Sunday school.

Rev. H. W. Newsom will represent
the American Bible Society.

Mr. John L. Webb will represent
the district parsonage.

Rev. A. Holder will represent the
Advocate and take subscriptions.

Mrs. J. L. Blaylock will represent
the Women's Home Mission society.

Mrs. Amanda Wilhelm will repre-
sent the Women's Foreign Missionary
society.

COMMITTEES.

On license to preach—W. C. Sellars,
C. A. Coleman, A. C. Holder.

"Deacons" and elders' orders—P. H.
Fields, W. A. Diggs, D. M. Evans.

For admission on Trial into Annual
Conference, R. W. Newsom, W. A.
Watts, R. E. Brasfield.

These committees will meet 2 p. m.
July 28.

Applicants for license to preach—
Alvin Harmer, Dulaney, Sedalia cir-
cuit; Francis Marion Brown, Milburn
circuit; Hubert Harris, Broadway; L.
B. Holloman.

A quarterly conference will be held
Monday night and Tuesday morning,
and an Epworth league conference
Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Warner
Moore, D. D., will preach the opening
sermon Tuesday evening.

A Wonderful Cow.

A farmer in Copake, Columbia coun-
ty, N. Y., has a most productive cow
if the following notice of sale can be
depended upon: "Full-blooded cow
for sale, giving milk, three tons of
hay, a lot of chickens and several
stoves.—Fame.

TOP NOTCHERS BEAT

Paducah Takes the First Game
From Henderson.

Cairo Was Badly Beaten By Clarks-
ville—Was a Pitchers'
Battle.

OTHER NEWS FOR THE FANS

THE STANDING.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Henderson.....	33	22	690
Cairo.....	34	26	576
Clarksville.....	29	23	558
Jackson.....	24	28	462
Paducah.....	22	30	423
Hopkinsville.....	21	32	396

SCHEDULE FOR TODAY.

Paducah at Henderson.
Hopkinsville at Jackson.
Clarksville at Cairo.

WHAT LUCK!

Henderson, Ky., July 23—Paducah
yesterday defeated the "Top Notch-
ers" by a score of 10 to 6 Wilson pitch-
ing a good game in which the 13 hits
made off him were well scattered and
Paducah made nine hits off Hender-
son's crack pitcher Bolin. O'Connor's
three bagger and Le Compt's batting
were features of the game.

Paducah 10, 9, 4, Wilson and Cliff-
ord; Henderson 6, 13, 5, Bolin and
Warner.

Other K. I. T. Games.

CAIRO SHUT OUT.

Cairo, Ill., July 23—Another great
pitchers' battle from start to finish
was witnessed yesterday. Clarksville
made its single score on two consecu-
tive errors. Brockett fanned out 11
and Harris 10. Clarksville 1 run, 5
hits, 5 errors. Harris and Holmes.
Cairo 9 runs, 6 hits, 6 errors. Brock-
ett and Rutledge. Umpire, Clarke.

HOPKINSVILLE LOSES.

Jackson, Tenn., July 23—The home
boys defeated the "tailenders" yester-
day by the following score: Jackson,
19, 13, 5. Hopkinsville 3, 8, 5. Ester-
teries, Cole and Pettit. Edwards and
Street.

Clarke, the left handed pitcher of
the Cairo team, has been released.

John Bourgoin, of Cairo, has signed
with the Hopkinsville team and is
now in Jackson with them. He is
said to be an exceptionally good
catcher and first baseman. Betts, the
Clarksville pitcher, says Bourgoin is
the best catcher he ever pitched to.

Hopkinsville is doubtless the posses-
sor of more dyed in the wool fans than
any other town in the circuit, says
the New Era. Old and young, big
and little, male and female, black and
white make a break for the big bull-
etin board the first thing after supper,
when the team is out of town. If the
locals are defeated they show where
the fault was according to their ideas,
but invariably wind up with, "Well
we will beat them tomorrow." When
the team is at home they are all in at-
tendance at every game. It is said
that more ladies attend the games here
than anywhere else in the league, and
they not only attend but they root
good and strong too.

Mayfield is much excited over a se-
ries of baseball games beginning today
between Mayfield and Lynnville for
the county championship. There will
be three games. Last year the most
intense interest was manifested in the
games.

Little Mineral in Paraguay.

Consul J. N. Ruffin reports from
Asuncion: "There exists no copper,
gold or silver mines in Paraguay.
Some copper is found, but it has
never been worked. I have never
heard of the existence of silver in the
country. Gold, I understand, exists
in the district called Missiones, near
San Miguel, but it has never been
worked, and no statistics can be ob-
tained."

Will Return August 13th

Dr. Steinfeld is now out of the city and
will return August 13th. He expects to
secure several new instruments for ex-
amining the eyes, and will make his optical
parlor the most completely equipped in
Western Kentucky

If your eyes are giving you trouble call
on him on his return

DR. M. STEINFELD, Ophthalmologist
222 Broadway